

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary

Application No.

09/918,937

Applicant(s)

ARNTZEN ET AL.

Examiner

Cynthia Collins

Art Unit

1638

All Participants:

(1) Cynthia Collins.

(2) Heidi Nebel.

Status of Application: _____

(3) _____.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 20 April 2004

Time: 1:50 pm

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description: _____

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

1-72 and 101-115 (renumbered 73-87)

Prior art documents discussed:

Part II.

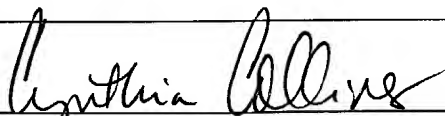
SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.


(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Interview was held to confirm that claims numbering 73-100 has not been filed in any preliminary amendments, as the preliminary amendment filed July 31, 2001 requested the cancellation of claims 73-100. Newly submitted claims 101-115 will be renumbered 73-87, and a supplemental restriction requirement will be issued on pending claims 1-87.